

# The Lord comes to rule the earth

Psalm 97

33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Year C

Maestoso ♩ = 90

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The Lord comes to rule the earth; rule the earth with jus - tice

G G/B C(sus4) C D Am D C G

This musical score is for a song in 4/4 time, key of D major. It features a vocal line and a piano accompaniment. The vocal line consists of a single melodic line with lyrics. The piano accompaniment has a right hand with chords and a left hand with a simple bass line. The tempo is marked 'Maestoso' with a quarter note equal to 90 beats per minute. The score is for the first part of the psalm, ending with a repeat sign.

## Psalm Tone

G D/F# Em Bm C Am C D

This musical score is for the Psalm Tone, a traditional chant used in the liturgy. It is in 4/4 time, key of D major. The score consists of a single melodic line with a piano accompaniment. The tempo is marked 'Maestoso'. The score is for the second part of the psalm, ending with a repeat sign.

1. Sing psalms to the Lord **with** the harp  
with the **sound** of music.

With trumpets and the sound **of** the horn  
acclaim the **king**, the Lord.

2. Let the sea and all with-in it thunder;  
the world and **all** its peoples.

Let the rivers clap their hands, and the hills ring **out** their joy,  
at the presence **of** the Lord.

*NB. In phrase 1 below, sing **two** notes on the word 'Lord'*

3. For the **Lord** comes,  
he comes to **rule** the earth.

He will rule the **world** with justice,  
and the peo-**ples** with fairness.